

# THE CHINOOK ADVANCE

Vol. 22

Chinook, Alberta. Thursday May 14th 1942

Mr. and Mrs. Evans and daughter returned Tuesday, having visited at Patricia and Calgary for a few days last week.

Two Alberta towns announce that they have gone over their quota on Monday, a day before the drive was actually due to start. The two towns were Bears paw and Chioonk.

—Calgary Herald

Mr. P. DeMaere and Mr. W. Lawrence, of Calgary, arrived here by motor Saturday

## Couple Spent Night in Open

Fears entertained for the safety of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Pratt, of High River, were dispelled when the couple were spotted on high land about a mile west of town by an R. C. A. F. plane.

Mr. and Mrs. Pratt, who are caretakers at the summer home owned by S. F. Heard, assistant production manager for Imperial Oil at Calgary, moved from the home Monday afternoon as the flood waters rose.

Unable to reach town, and the Heard home surrounded by a lake, the couple spent the night in the open. In the morning, an air force plane searched the area, and Mr. and Mrs. Pratt were seen sitting on high land, with a sheet of canvas for protection.

## GIVE-TO Relieve Human Suffering

You've supported the Red Cross in the past. It has done a marvellous job for the sick and suffering, for the comfort of Canadians away from home.

The Red Cross needs \$9,000,000

**Give Generously**

THE BANNER HARDWARE

**CANADIAN RED CROSS**  
*Give to the utmost...now!*

The RED CROSS needs your Support as never before in order that its great humanitarian work may extend with the growing needs of the war. Whether you've given before or not, give NOW. Enable the work to go on.

THIS SPACE DONATED BY  
**RED & WHITE STORE**

## Flax and Coarse Grains Production Needed as a War Measure

Farmers are urged by the Government to produce as much coarse grains and flaxseed as possible.

Coarse grains are required for the production of livestock and dairy products, and flaxseed is urgently needed for its oil content.

THE  
**ALBERTA PACIFIC GRAIN**  
COMPANY, LIMITED (35)



**LADIES! HERE'S YOUR BONUS PACKAGE!**



You get 2 ROYAL Yeast Cakes **FREE!**

When you buy this Regular size package

Yes, it's true! You get a Bonus Package of 2 Royal Yeast Cakes FREE with every purchase of the regular size package of Royal Yeast.

Two extra cakes of pure, dependable Royal—the favorite yeast of 7 out of 8 Canadian women who buy a dry yeast.

Royal is Canada's favorite because it's kept sweet and full-strength by the individual air-tight wrapper. You can depend on Royal to make tasty, even-textured, easily digested bread... free from coarse holes and doughy half-cooked spots.

For more delicious bakings every time, begin now to make your bread with pure, full-strength Royal. Remember—with every regular size package you buy, your grocer will give you a Bonus Package of 2 Royal Yeast Cakes FREE!

IMPORTANT: This special offer is good for a limited time only—order a supply of Royal Yeast Cakes today.

MADE IN CANADA

## SUPPORT THE RED CROSS!

**\$9,000,000 Needed**

Prisoners of War, bomb victims, men in Hospital, members of Canada's armed forces overseas—and at home—all testify to the immense and needed service performed by the Red Cross.

This great humanitarian work must go on. As the war extends and intensifies, the need grows greater.

THIS SPACE DONATED BY  
**COOLEY BROS GARAGE**

## GIVE-TO RELIEVE HUMAN SUFFERING

The present national appeal for \$9,000,000 needs YOUR support. Those who need the Red Cross Rely on YOU.

They need Your help more than ever before.

THIS SPACE DONATED BY  
**CHINOOK MEAT MARKET**

## Secondary Materials

War has brought about many changes and among them is the increasing importance attached to the salvaging of waste materials. "Junk" once a term used with some derision, has become a foremost factor in our war effort. There are probably few homes in the Dominion which have not been cleared of unused metals and other things which we are asked to save, and there are few households who do not thriftily save newspapers, rags, fats and bones, for the collectors who doubtless appear regularly for those articles now designated as "salvage."

That these efforts on the part of individuals in all parts of the Dominion must in no small way help in our war effort is apparent when we consider that certain guns can be made entirely of scrap metal, and that the addition of scrap to pure iron ore increases greatly the production of steel.

The value of paper, cardboard and cartons is also very great. At present thirty-five per cent. of the paper produced in Canada is going into the war effort, and the importance of avoiding waste of any paper or cardboard is very great. Rags, too, are very valuable. Last year four million dollars' worth of rags were imported into Canada for use in ammunition and explosive factories, and in airplane plants, where the necessity of large supplies of rags is essential for cleaning tools and other purposes.

### Important Items

Fats and bones also have their part in furthering the war effort. Last year one million dollars' worth of bone products were imported for use in sugar refineries, for fertilizers, and other purposes for which it is essential. Fats are used for making glycerine, a very important material in wartime, and in making soap, so that every piece of fat and bone is an important item for defence.

Planes of the Commonwealth Air Training Plan, constantly in our skies, remind us of the need for aluminum. Canadians have cut the domestic consumption of aluminum to one-fortieth of the peace-time level, but when we are told that it takes twenty-eight thousand pounds of aluminum to make a bomber, and eight thousand pounds for a fighter, we know that not a scrap of aluminum must be wasted.

### Work Of Sorting

It is interesting to note that the important work of sorting and preparing these materials for their return to the industries where they are required, is aided by an organization of junk dealers of the Dominion. These men have had long experience in sorting metals, papers and other articles into the right class for the purpose to which they are to be put. The value of this work is realized when we learn that there are over a dozen kinds of aluminum alloy, seventy-five kinds of scrap iron and steel and nearly forty types of waste paper. Dealers are experienced in sorting these materials quickly and accurately and their service to the Dominion in this regard is now very great.

Early in 1941 the Minister of National War Services called a meeting to organize these dealers with the object of opening more widely the existing trade channels for the return of secondary materials to Canada's war effort. An association was formed known as the Canadian Institute of Secondary Materials. The newly formed body was given a charter by the Secretary of State and it now works in close co-operation with the Federal Department of Salvage in carrying on the valuable work started in the homes of every community in the Dominion. The importance of this part of our war effort has been emphasized many times, but too much attention cannot be given to its value. In Germany the value of salvaging waste materials has long been recognized, and the people have been compelled to co-operate in this regard. Let us show that by voluntary effort we can help our country to maintain its large production of war materials and to conserve our foreign exchange.

## CANADA NEEDS YOU

We see everywhere to-day recruiting posters declaring to the men of our country that "Canada Needs You". The challenge does not apply only to men wanted for the fighting forces but to every citizen of Canada. To the housewife it says "Canada Needs You" to economize; to the business man to "accept restrictions willingly"; to the school teacher to train your pupils to become responsible and loyal future citizens; to the factory worker to increase production by efficient work; to every healthy, able-bodied man to be a blood donor.

We all have a part. We still live in a free country. We are still free to listen to any radio station we wish. We are still free to put our nation's need before our personal need. True freedom is not wangling something for ourselves but giving the best that we are and have to our country. Grumbling and criticism about taxes and restrictions are sabotage and undermine our country's strength. Cheerfulness and a willing acceptance of all regulations help to build morale. Canada needs us to be morale-builders where we are—in our homes, in industry, and in every phase of life.

Canada needs each man and woman to so live to-day that they are giving their all spiritually, physically and materially to win the war, and in the winning of it to build for reconstruction. Canada needs you and me—the common people—the twelve million or so of us—to give the sort of teamwork that co-operates with our government to build and maintain that invincible power—a united nation!

### Doing Great Work

#### Achievements Of Engineering Profession In War Effort Are Remarkable

The Dean of the Faculty of Applied Science and Engineering of the University of Toronto lifted the veil slightly to reveal some of the remarkable achievements of the engineering profession in speeding up the Dominion's war effort. While much that has been accomplished cannot be made public as they are strictly war secrets it can be announced that in the machine tool industry its capacity has been increased by more than 800 per cent.

#### Home Not Like This

Napoleon fed all captured soldiers such excellent food that many of them preferred to remain with him after war rather than return to their own country's meager rations. Many of them willingly surrendered to get the good food offered.

And in these war days a lot of folks have discovered that two have to live cheaper than one.

The various African tribes speak 900 different tongues.



### Won Decoration At Namos

Commander Stannard Only Living Naval Holder Of Victoria Cross  
H. M. S. Ramsey, formerly the United States destroyer Meade, was in port at Boston recently for the first overhaul in 36,000 miles of North Atlantic patrol, during which her performance has won the respect and admiration of her officers and men.

"We have been through much bad weather, but she has suffered no damage," said her captain, Lieutenant-Commander Richard Stannard, only living naval holder of the Victoria Cross.

Others who were awarded that decoration rest in sailors' graves, including Captain Fogarty Fegan of the Jervis Bay, a converted merchantman which stood between a convoy and a German pocket battleship until the Atlantic closed over her guns.

Lieutenant-Commander Stannard received his V.C. for the part he played in the evacuation of Namos, Norway. When German planes set fire to munitions piled on a jetty, he brought his command, the anti-submarine vessel Arab, in against the structure and fought the flames until they were under control.

With the Arab, a small craft carrying a crew of 50, he took off 2,000 French Chasseurs, in ten trips, and placed them aboard troopships. Then he set up a small fortification ashore and fought off approaching German forces until the evacuation was completed.

Lieutenant-Commander Stannard was the last to leave Namos. Although considerably damaged, the Arab reached Britain, while four other vessels sank under constant pounding of German air and land bombardment.

In civilian life, Lieutenant-Commander Stannard was chief officer of an Orient Line steamship. He is married and has two young children. His wife drives an ambulance for the American Eagle Squadron in the Royal Air Force.

### SELECTED RECIPES

#### AUNT SUE'S CORN FLAKE DROP COOKIES

1/2 cup shortening  
1 cup brown sugar  
2 eggs  
1 1/2 cups flour  
1/2 teaspoon soda  
1/2 teaspoon baking powder  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
1 cup chopped nuts  
1/2 cup chopped dates  
2 cups corn flakes  
Blend shortening and sugar thoroughly; add eggs and beat until light and fluffy. Sift flour, soda, baking powder and salt together; add to creamed mixture with nuts, dates and corn flakes; mix well. Drop from tablespoon onto greased baking sheet, flatten with spatula, and bake in moderate oven (375 degrees F.) about 15 minutes.  
Yield: Three dozen cookies (2 inches in diameter).

#### AUNT JANE'S KRISP MAGIC MAGAROONS

1/2 cup condensed milk  
1 cup shredded coconut  
1 cup oven-popped rice cereal  
Mix condensed milk, coconut and oven-popped rice cereal. Drop by spoonfuls onto well-greased baking sheet, about 1 inch apart. Bake in moderate oven (350 degrees F.) 10 minutes or until delicately browned. Yield: 1 1/2 dozen (2 inches in diameter).

### Beginning To Tell

#### Industrial Sabotage In Conquered Countries Making Nazis Jumpy

The Nazis were losing their grip and becoming panicky in the face of underground pressure exerted by the conquered peoples of Europe, Jan Masaryk, Foreign Minister of the Czech Government-in-exile, told the press on his arrival in Ottawa. The Nazis were slipping, he believed, because they were losing even the German twisted sense of proportion. Skillful and continued industrial sabotage by the Czechs had made the conquerors "jumpy."

### A Handy Instrument

Operating on the principle of the stethoscope, an instrument invented in London enables a tester to detect leaks in water pipes and also to determine in which way the water is flowing.

## PATENTS

AN OFFER TO EVERY INVENTOR. List of inventions and full information free. THE RANSAY COMPANY, Registered Patent Attorneys, 273 Bank Street, Ottawa, Canada.

### Crown Companies

#### Government Capital Invested In Large Number Of War Enterprises

The Canadian Government, operating 11 Crown companies and with capital invested in a large number of private industries, now holds an undisputed place in the top rank of world producers of war materials.

With the government's investment in private industry may not seem so large as a casual survey would indicate.

Largest of the purely government undertakings is in the chemical and explosive field where the Allied War Supplies Corp. operates 21 plants with more than 30,000 employees.

Small Arms Ltd., with between 1,400 and 1,500 workers, is rapidly increasing production of rifles, bayonets and scabbards, with an expansion program that provides for Bren gun production.

War-time Merchant Shipping Ltd. has laid keels for 32 ships and on Nov. 30 had launched seven. In a plant created by Research Enterprises Ltd. some 2,200 workers are turning out special electrical equipment and secret devices.

Federal Aircraft Ltd., another Crown company, reported a large number of Anson planes delivered with November production double that of October.

Other Crown companies control the nation's supply of strategic materials—rubber, wool and silk. Still another company supervises the purchase of machine tools for war industries and has made purchases well in excess of \$80,000,000.

### SO YOU'RE GOING TO DO A PLAY?

And it is to be comedy or farce as a foil for the taut nerves of to-day's life. Be sure it is rapid and bright with no long pauses between speeches. Now for the play. Is it one act or a three act?

"We want a whole evening's performance, and so will have to have a three act play," you reply. "Why? Have you ever tried three one act plays?" "Three! In one small community," you ask, "you don't know rural communities. Mary Ellen!" Maybe not, but Richard, in Northern Saskatchewan, entered three one act plays in the Class B Drama festival at North Battleford last year, and won several awards.

They felt that this was a chance for many people to take part, and give a variety in their entertainment. What's more they did their plays at various surrounding towns, before a number of clubs in the afternoons, and came into the festival with great confidence gained by a number of public appearances. They used whole stage as if it was their own front room, and after all isn't that what the stage is. The fourth wall is removed so that the audience can peek in on what is going on and enjoy it with the actors. Sometimes when the play is building to a good climax, the audience is so tense that they do not move until the problem on the stage is solved and then with a sign of relief they relax and sit back again in their seats. When you feel sympathy running between the audience and those on the stage many people for twelve rehearsals when they lived someone else's life and enjoyed it. Comments may be sent to Mary Ellen, Box 326, Regina. But enuf said this time. See you next week.

### Health Is Important

#### In Time Of War Health Of Everyone Is Vital Necessity

With Canada at war the health of everyone is of vital importance. Dr. L. B. Pett of the federal nutrition department and secretary of the Canadian Council of Nutrition said at a Toronto conference called to consider instituting a nutrition program and possible appointment of a provincial nutritionist by the Ontario government. Fifty representatives conferred under chairmanship of Dr. J. T. Phelan, chief medical officer, Ontario health department.

Great Britain, said Dr. Pett, has found in order to maintain adequate production they must maintain nutrition for war workers.

### Must Be Saved

#### Supervisor Of National Salvage Campaign Stresses Need For Waste Paper

William Knightley, supervisor of the national salvage campaign, said that because of a shortage of waste paper Canadian mills making paper-board were running on a "hand-to-mouth" basis, and unless the situation improves, "may be forced to slow down operations."

He issued a statement saying that from every ton of paper produced for consumption in Canada less than 25 per cent. is salvaged while 75 per cent. is wasted and that the public could assist materially by co-operating with the national salvage campaign and saving every scrap of paper. One ton of waste paper will produce material for 1,500 shell containers, 9,000 shell fuse component parts, 47,000 boxes for small arms ammunition, 5,000 boxes for aero cannon shells, or 1,000 packing cases for two-pounder shells, the statement said.



### Officer Was Puzzled

#### Made Parking Arrangements For What He Thought Were Tanks

The C.O. of a regiment in the Middle East was puzzled when he received notification to make arrangements for the arrival of: "Carriers, general utility, one-wheeled, sixty."

He thought it must be a new type of small wheeled tank and made the necessary parking arrangements. Eventually he received 60 wheelbarrows.

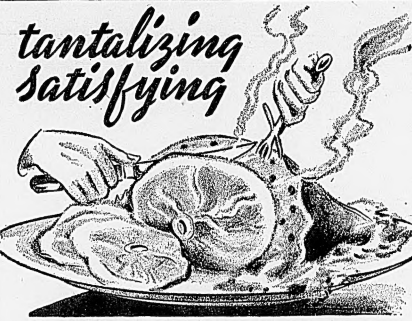
Greater Germany's 1941 potato crop is estimated at 65,000,000 tons.

### LIFE'S LIKE THAT

By Fred Neher



"Step wishing your father would hit his finger so you could use your first-aid kit!"



## Flavour... but so elusive

WHEN THAT DELICIOUS ROAST BEGINS TO COOL... THEN FLAVOUR AND MOISTURE STEALTHILY SLIP AWAY.

KEEP THAT FLAVOUR AND MOISTURE IN YOUR MEATS... BY WRAPPING THEM IN



Appleford PAPER PRODUCTS LIMITED

HAMILTON • TORONTO • MONTREAL



## NIGHT COUGHS

YOUR CHILD'S coughing at night—caused by throat "tickles" or irritation, throat breathing, or a cold—can often be prevented by rubbing throat and chest with Vicks VapoRub at bedtime.

VAPORUB'S powerful eucalyptus and eucalyptol vapors loosen phlegm, relieve irritation, helps clear upper air passages, thus tends to stop mouth breathing and soothes throat. Vicks VapoRub. Try it!

## "ALL THAT GLITTERS"

—By—  
ANNE TEDLOCK BROOKS

### CHAPTER I.—Continued

Ransome Todd saw more than he saw as he gazed out into space. He was the legend of other generations of the Randolphs. There had been wealth in the family who had first settled on the thousand-acre tract, wealth, English traditions, aristocratic living.

The row of stone slave cabins at the back of the plantation had never been torn down, but stood as mute testimony of better days. Phoebe's old mother could remember the things her slightest eyes no longer saw. When Ransome and Tamar had been young, they sat listening to the wrinkled old woman recounting the tales of happenings in the Big House.

Ransome would always remember the moonlight flooding the terraces, the cabins standing out in the whiteness, and Gran's mumbled, her stories. The little colored boys and girls of the help kept a respectful distance in the background while Gran spun the yarns.

"O! Massa—he wuz yo' gran' puppy, honey," Gran would not toward little Tamar. "O! Massa—fine man. Yo' slaves respected him and 'woked' on' fingers to be hone' fo' him. But he's good to us. When com'pny come, the feasts I'd hep cook up! Roas' whole pigs wit' apples in dey mouts, young 'tweaks brown and juicy on de Chesapeake, mah' ol' man done ketches' fo' de sun was up! An' de pies, an' de cakes, an' de—"

On and on and on, droned Gran's voice. These things Ransome remembered. He saw still the sword in its scabbard that O! Massa had used, and remembered Gran's telling of his return. "He died fo' de week was out, honey. But he sat one long las' hour lookin' at de Chesapeake, and sein' de colts down in de meadow. An' de las' thing he say was, 'De Cricket Hill's full o' go!'"

"An' so it is! Ah knows! Gran done seen de nuggets big as pe'nsoms. Mah' ol' man used to bring 'em home. Ah found 'em in his pants pockets. He's good fo' nothin' less'n de whate'ers he want."

Gran would turn to Tamar and caution, "Don't let nobody ever get Cricket Hill, Honey. It's full ol' yellow go'!"

Before the rush to California the Crickets Hill was already a producer. Knox Randolph's father had made a private shaft into the hillside and taken out enough gold to satisfy himself.

Tamar's father had never worked the mine. He had seen for himself the vein that was perfectly visible; rich, sparkling ore in the old shaft. But mining cost money!

Ransome Todd turned in anger to Tamar. "You'd let the major come in and lease that ground for \$300 a month, when his strike will net him \$10,000 a day. It's incredible that your father would be such a fool!"

Tamar sprang to her feet. "You can go now, Ranny. And don't show that handsome face of yours on Randolph soil again!" She whirled toward the house.

Ran gasped at the words. He had always had the greatest respect for Tamar's father. He ran after Tamar. But on her winged feet she was, as

ready up on the great stone verandah. He caught her just as she reached the big white door. He imprisoned her in his hard arms.

"Tara, honey, I'm sorry. I didn't mean it. Honestly, I didn't! Her blue eyes were blazing. "Trying to interfere with us when we need the money so! And calling my father a fool!"

"Gee! Tara, you're beautiful," He tipped up her chin. He kissed her red lips, but they returned no pressure. They were hot with scorn.

Ranny started into her eyes for a long moment. He had never kissed her before. He had always been fond of Tara. But suddenly he knew that he was more than fond of her, and the knowledge stunned him. He felt himself trembling.

He dropped his hands. In a flash she reached out and gave him a stinging, fiery slap, whirled into the house and slammed the door.

Tamar ran for the stairs and bumped into Mr. Christopher Sande as he came down, travelling cases in hand.

"She stared at her. Tears trembled on her black lashes and her eyes were the bluest he had ever seen.

"I'm terribly sorry," he said. "I should have been paying more attention."

"It was entirely my fault, Mr. Sande," Tamar said truthfully, starting up the stairs.

Sande hurried down and out to the car. As he placed the bags in the tonneau he heard a horse's whinny and saw a handsome man getting into the saddle.

Ransome Todd sat on his horse a long moment. He gave the horse a look and saw the young engineer putting the bags into the car.

In anger, he brought his crop down smartly on the flank of Tah-lah-neka II. The horse jumped and was off in a gallop.

Contritely, Todd bent forward and rubbed the sleek, shining coat. "Sorry, old man. I'll never do that again." With a quick gesture he threw the crop, and it landed in the red dust at the side of the road.

Coming into the little sleepy town, Ranny guided Tah-lah-neka II across the square and threw his bride to a Negro boy standing by. "Watch him, Pete, and I'll give you a nickel."

He ran into the bank building, and up the side stairs. He didn't pause to look at the door marked "Sheridan & Sheridan, Attorneys-at-Law." He burst into the room. "Dick!" he cried to the slumbering young man at the mahogany desk. "Dick! You've got to help me."

Richard Sheridan opened his eyes and moved his feet over on the desk to make room for Todd's. But Ransome stood erect and said, "Now listen carefully. You've got to break a contract."

(To Be Continued)

### Strength Not Known

Little Information Available As To Size Of Japan's Fleet

The United States Navy, the largest and most powerful in the world, has taken on an unknown quantity when it engages the Japanese fleet in the Pacific.

Each year less and less information about the Imperial Japanese navy leaks through to the outside world. It is known, however, that the Japanese have at least eighteen capital ships, three of them over 40,000 tons launched during 1939 and 1940; twelve aircraft carriers, twelve first class and 31 second class cruisers, 87 destroyers and 56 submarines.

In all instances actual figures are undoubtedly higher. Jane's Fighting Ships, authority on the world's navies, said in its 1940 edition, the latest compilation.

### Aid To Surgery

Vitamins In Oranges And Vegetables Reduce Fatalities In Operations

Vitamins found in oranges and vegetables are playing a new part in surgical operations.

"The administration of the proper vitamins does before an operation is serving materially to reduce fatalities," says Dr. Clinton Thienes of Los Angeles. He added that vegetables produce vitamin K, which prevents hemorrhage.

### Marathon Letter-Writer

Geoffrey Shakespeare, Parliamentary Secretary to the Dominions Office who recently toured Canada and the United States, has just completed a marathon letter-writing task. He has written 1,350 letters to parents of British children netted in Canadian homes.

### Powerful Beam

Giant searchlights made in Canada throw an 800,000,000 candle power beam, equivalent to the concentrated light of all the street lamps in the city of Toronto.

### Demand Continues Heavy

R.C.A.F. Requires From 7,000 To 8,000 Recruits Every Month

Royal Canadian Air Force recruiting services are accepting from 5,000 to 7,000 men a month, making their demand on the manpower resources of Canada almost as heavy as those of the army. It was estimated in official quarters at Ottawa.

Air Minister Power recently issued figures showing that in July the air force enlisted nearly 4,000 crew members and at the end of the month there were about as many more whose applications were for more or less complete state and from whom an estimated 3,000 would probably enter aircrew training if required.

The R.C.A.F. has more than 90,000 men on its strength in Canada and overseas, and with the development of Canadian Air Forces in the United Kingdom the demand for men in the air force age categories continued high. It is estimated that Canada has twenty squadrons in the United Kingdom and in accordance with the announced intention of the R.C.A.F. every effort is being made to equip them fully, with their own ground personnel as well as air crews.

Defence Minister Ralston told the House of Commons in November that from 7,000 to 8,000 men were required every month to take care of wasteage, to provide for new and increased units and to build up reinforcements.

### The Old Inn

Crown House In Birmingham Is Over 500 Years Old

With low lattice windows peering from beneath overhanging timbering, the Old Crown House still stands quaint and solid, on the site where it was built, in High Street, Deritend, more than 500 years ago. Its massive beams interlocked with infinite art, seemingly for ever, by hands that have been dust those many centuries, the Old Crown remains much as it must have appeared when first put up in the 14th century. Said to be the oldest existing in Birmingham, it flaunts the date 1368 on its outer wall.

In the "Itinerary of England" which he made in 1538 in the reign of Henry VIII, John Leland noted the building as "a fair Mansion House of Tymber." Standing in the pleasant rural surroundings of those faraway days, the Old Crown House, it is said, was the mark from which the miles out of Birmingham had to be reckoned on the milestones.

To this day the building remains partitioned into three houses, as it was divided in 1693. Mr. George J. Hughes, who has been the licensee for four years, took me over the uneven flooring of what was once the "gally chamber" where, tradition has it, Queen Elizabeth once spent a night.—Birmingham Mail.

### Invasion Plans

Tells How Hitler May Make Attempt On Britain

Ludwig Lore, foreign news editor of the New York Post, in an address at Montreal, said a source "high in the State Department at Washington" was authority for his information on Hitler's plans for an invasion of Britain.

He said the source told him Hitler's invasion army would consist of 9,000 men, 17-batt, 2,400 troop-carrying barges, 12,000 new-type bombers and 7,000 paratroopers. This army would move behind a cloud of poison gas, he said he had been told. The small submarines would carry troops underseas to the English coast and the barges would take mail-carrying cannon, machine guns and men.

Lore said that samples of the poison gas that would be used had been brought to the United States and government experts had so far been unable to determine its composition. Tests on animals had shown the gas would permanently blind persons who came in contact with it.

He said that the invasion was one of the three moves that Hitler had jotted down as "unfinit business." A drive to capture India and a penetration of Spain, Portugal and Africa were the other two.

### Very Special Meals

Each dish served at the table of Frederick the Great was prepared by a different cook, and each had his own private kitchen in which to prepare his special offering.

About 800,000,000,000,000 light waves enter the eye in one second when looking at a violet colored object.

Vibrations from a dynamite explosion have been detected as much as 2,000 miles away.

**A NEW NOSE FOR 30¢**

**MENTHOLATUM**  
GENTLE SOOTHING

Mentholatum quickly soothes nasal irritation, relieves sniffing, clears the nose, and opens the throat, etc.

### Glamour Is Demanded

British High Command Faces Problem With Its Army Women

The women who help Britain's war effort are making many sacrifices—but they demand the right to be glamorous.

So the High Command for two years has had to face such problems as flouting lipstick, stream-lined uniform skirts and dealing with women majors who wear captain's insignia because they are prettier.

Now, the High Command is preparing for more trouble. A big recruiting drive is under way to raise the strength to 200,000.

There has been time recently when authorities had to issue special orders modifying regulations against women in uniform wearing jewelry. The orders said: A T.S. can wear engagement, wedding and signet rings but they are expected to wear the stones over their shoulders.

And War Office old guards still get red faces when they hear an A.T.S. messenger report to her commanding officer.

The latter returns the salute and then asks: "What is it you want, dear?"

One problem the High Command has not solved. Women officers who attain the rank of major, or above, frequently have to be persuaded to wear the epaulettes of their station.

Most women officers prefer to be captains. They wear three shining golden "pips" on the shoulder. A major wears only one dark-colored crown.

### GEMS OF THOUGHT

#### EXPECTANCY

All earthly delights are sweeter in expectation than in enjoyment; but all spiritual pleasures more in fruition than in expectation.—Folham.

We part more easily with what we possess than with our expectations of what we hope for: expectation always goes beyond enjoyment.—Home.

When the destination is desirable, expectation speeds our progress.—Mary Baker Eddy.

With regard to one's work the desirable feeling is always to desire to succeed and never to think you have succeeded.—Thomas Arnold.

The little dove vanishes from the sight of him who looks forward to what is still to do.—Goethe.

By every part of our nature we clasp things above us, age after another, not for the sake of remaining where we take hold, but that we may go higher.—H. W. Beecher.

### From Canada's Police Force

Sum Of \$25,000 Contributed For Spitfire Fighting Plane

A \$25,000 Spitfire fighting plane has been contributed by the police of Canada to the British government, and the Police Association of Ontario is sponsoring a movement to raise a second through co-operation of forces across the country.

The first Spitfire will be formally presented in London by Sir Philip Gage, commissioner of the Metropolitan police in London. It will be accepted on behalf of the Royal Air Force, by a former member of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, now serving as a pilot in the war zone.

A pressure of 300 pounds can be exerted with his jaws by a healthy human.

**THAT'S RIGHT!**  
MORE cigarettes in every 10¢ package of

**DAILY MAIL**  
CIGARETTE TOBACCO

**18 FOR 25c.**

### In Their Spare Time

Britain's Fire Fighters Make Toys From Debris

Men and women of Britain's national fire service in their spare time made many Christmas toys. Debris picked out of ruins of bombed buildings were turned into thousands of playthings during the lull in heavy Nazi raids. Bright, shiny paint supplied by the Red Cross effectively hid the origin of the material from which they were made.

Cloth rationing threatened to restrict the fire service's output of dressed dolls until bins were distributed in London department stores and customers were asked to throw in any useless clothing or rags.

The toys were not for sale, but were given away. Christmas Day some showed up in the homes of children whose parents cannot afford the prices that toys command in the shops. Others went to nurseries where the children of women in war plants.

Few of the amateur toy-makers had ever tried their hand at it before the bombing lull brought them hours of inactivity after the mad hustle of a new month's ago.

Most of them took such a liking to it that their officers say they could not get them away from their make-shift workshops. With tools lent them, they turned out swings, play pens, seesaws, hobby horses, model airplanes, trains and ships, dolls, dolls' furniture and real furniture which has helped in children's war nurseries.

For the most part, the finished toys were outstanding pieces of work. One London dealer examined one great collection, promptly offered the equivalent of \$9,000 for it and was refused.

### HOME SERVICE

KEYBOARD CHART THE WAY TO LEARN PIANO QUICKLY



How To Join The Magic Circle? Not enough attention? One way to get attention is to deserve it. Playing the piano you always have admirers.

Not that the piano is hard to learn; it isn't. You can learn to play entertainingly with the aid of a keyboard chart that shows at a glance which keys play for which music notes. So that from the very start you know how to read music! And our diagram shows how you can play popular pieces without long hours of practice. Just simplify by playing the melody line with your right hand and with your left some easy harmonizing chords.

Yes, those numbers below our melody line represent chords. Each number corresponds to a numbered key on your chart. Look at your chord numbers, then at your chart—and play.

You soon learn all the basic chords you need this way—and you know so many pieces that people think you've played for years!

Our 24-page instruction book has tables of chords and full-size keyboard chart. Gives lessons in rhythm, elements of music; has three pieces for practice.

Sends 15c in coins for your copy of "Quick Course in Piano Playing" to Home Service Dept., Winnipeg News-paper Union, 175 McDermott Ave. E., Winnipeg, Man.

The following booklets are also available at the each:

- 101—"Life Begins at Forty"
- 109—"Teach Yourself to Sing"
- 106—"21 Ways To Earn Money At Home"
- 164—"Party Games For All Occasions"
- 116—"How to Choose and Care for Your Dog"
- 146—"Home Course in New Ballroom Dances"

### Busy With Research

Scientists And Other Experts Are Seeking Substitute For Gasoline

National research council scientists, working in association with other experts, have started a study of possible substitutes for gasoline, including producer gas equipment. It was learned at Ottawa. A committee formed for the purpose has established a sub-committee which will report on various possible methods to be used in reducing the gasoline requirements of Canada.

An ox has only one-half the carrying power of a camel.

**All for One One for All**

**DURHAM CORN STARCH**

**DURHAM**  
Corn Starch  
For Better Desserts

**IVORY LAUNDRY STARCH**

**IVORY**  
Starch  
Modern Directions on every Package

**BEE HIVE Syrup**

**BEE HIVE**  
GOLDEN  
CORN SYRUP  
A great energy Food

St. Lawrence Starch Co. Limited

### London's Charwomen

Their Courage Ranks High Among Heroic Defence Workers

Three thousand of London's charwomen have been mobilized for entertainment purposes. Admiral Evans is administering a fund which has been given by an anonymous donor for the purpose of providing relaxation for civil defence workers, and not the least of these, according to the Admiral, are the charwomen. Their heroism under blitz conditions has not been bettered by A.R.P. workers, police or any of the other civil workers and thus a show will be specially arranged for them with ministers of the Crown acting as hosts.

When explaining about the party Admiral Evans gave one example of the bravery and devotion to duty these women have shown. "He said that one morning after a heavy bombing he visited a Dominions government office. He spoke to a charwoman who was busily scrubbing. "I hope your home has not suffered?" The woman looked at him with tragic eyes. "Yes, it was blitzed and my children killed last night." Yet a few hours later she was at her humble task.

### On Side Of Democracy

Americans of Italian extraction are devoted to the principles of freedom and liberty, Lieut.-Gov. Charles Poletti said. Poletti said "thousands and thousands of young Italo-Americans have volunteered in the army and navy and stand ready to die for the victory of the democratic way of life as against the ruthless methods of the dictators."

Toothbrushes and handkerchiefs have figured among the tokens of valor presented by Chinese generals to the troops under their command.

During 1939, the Netherlands East Indies yielded 8,800,000 tons of oil, 2.8 per cent of the total world output.

**Want MORE CIGARETTES FOR 10¢?**  
Roll your own with

**DAILY MAIL**  
CIGARETTE TOBACCO

**18 FOR 25c.**

**Relieves MONTHLY FEMALE PAIN**

Women who suffer pain of irregular periods with crampy sensations due to monthly functional disturbances—should find Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Tablets (with added iron) very effective to relieve such distress. Pinkham's Tablets made especially for women have built up resistance against such annoying symptoms. Follow the directions. Made in Canada.

